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Analysis for new Period 3 Events

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OUTLINE

ñ **New period 3 events**

- **ANN Selection**
- **Vertex predictions**
- **Results**

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ANN : Goal - Method

ñ Goal :

- Use Artificial Neural Networks to Select Neutrino Interactions that were missed from the initial scan.

ñ Method :

- Use the **existent ~ 900 neutrino interactions** as **“Signal”** and **equal number of background interactions** as **“Background”** to train the ANN that will perform the characterization.

ANN Input Variables

ñ **Scintillating Fiber System :**

- Total Number of SF hits (and Total number of “interaction” SF hits 500)
- Total Pulse height (and Total “interaction” Pulse Height, Pulse height cut @ 500)
- % of hits in Stations 1 2 3 4 & % of “Interaction hits “
- Number of SF lines (UZ,VZ)

ñ **Vector Drift Chambers:**

- Total Number of VDC hits

ñ **Drift Chambers:**

- Total number of DC hits
- Number of DC tracks

ñ **EMCAL :**

- Total Energy Deposition & Total Energy Deposition along $y = 0$ and $|x| > 100$ cm
- Number of clusters
- Average cluster energy
- Mean Cluster angle with respect to the z axis from the interaction point

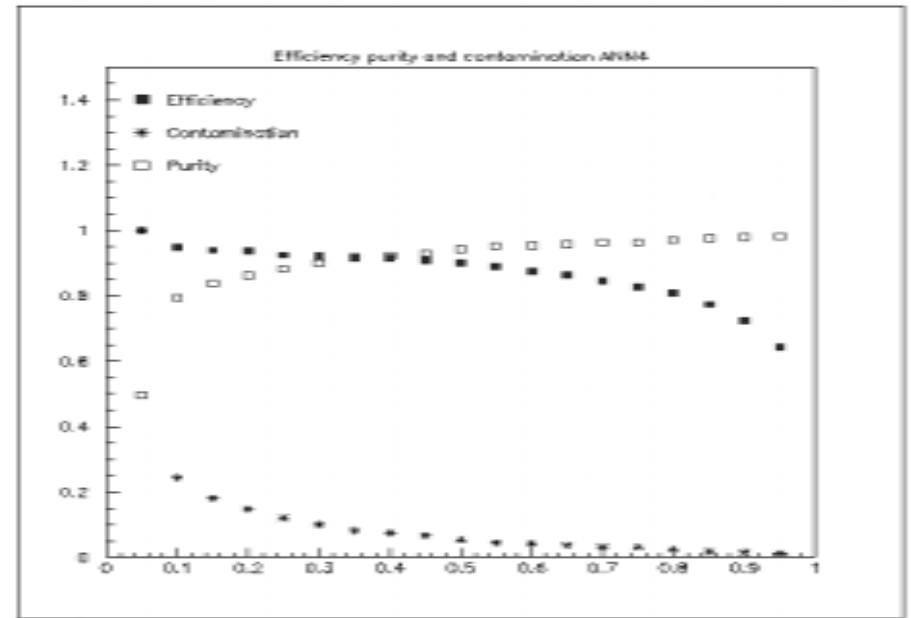
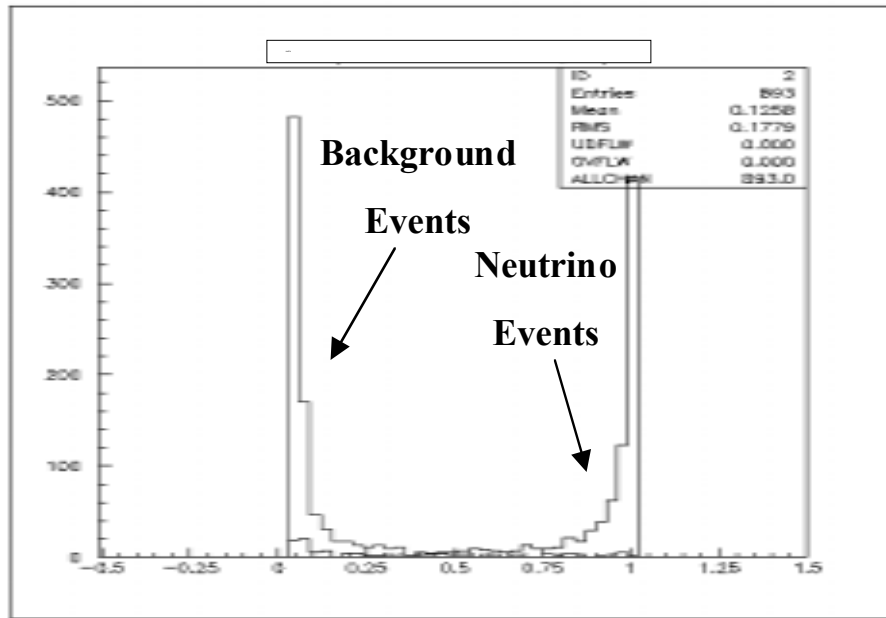
ñ **Muon Identification System :**

- Total number of MID hits
- Total number of MID hits in the central tubes

ñ **Other Variables :**

- Number of 3D final Tracks & Number of 3D final tracks that have SF and DC hits.
- Trigger Timing Differences (T32,T21,T31)
- Reconstructed Vertex in the Emulsion Module

ANN Output Function

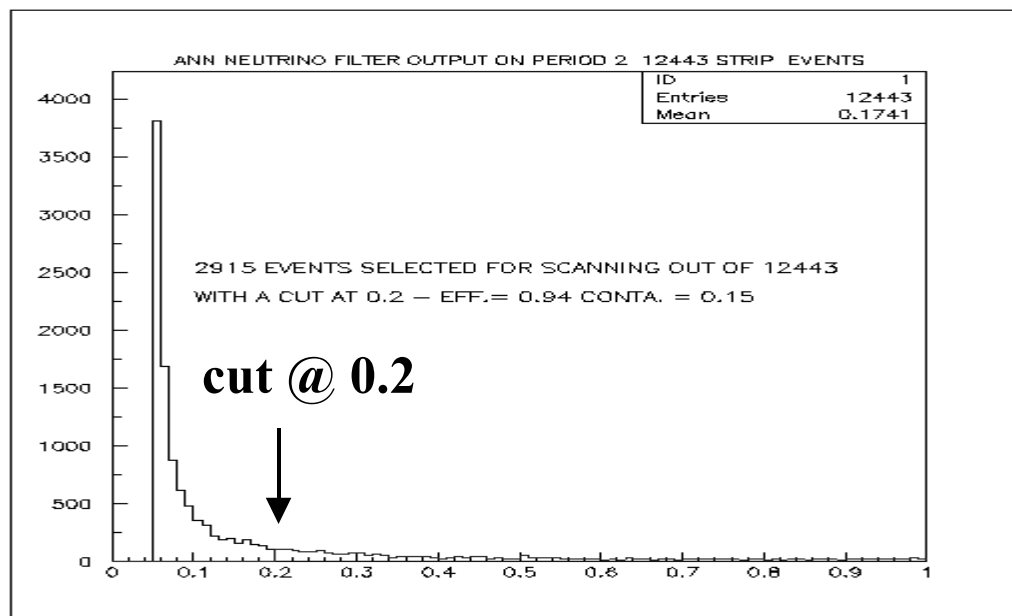


ñ The **performance** of the ANN is **good** and one can **select** events with **high efficiency** and **high purity** (low **contamination**).

ñ With a cut @ **0.2** :

efficiency 0.94 - purity 0.86 - contamination 0.15

ANN Implementation & Results on a “raw” Data Sample

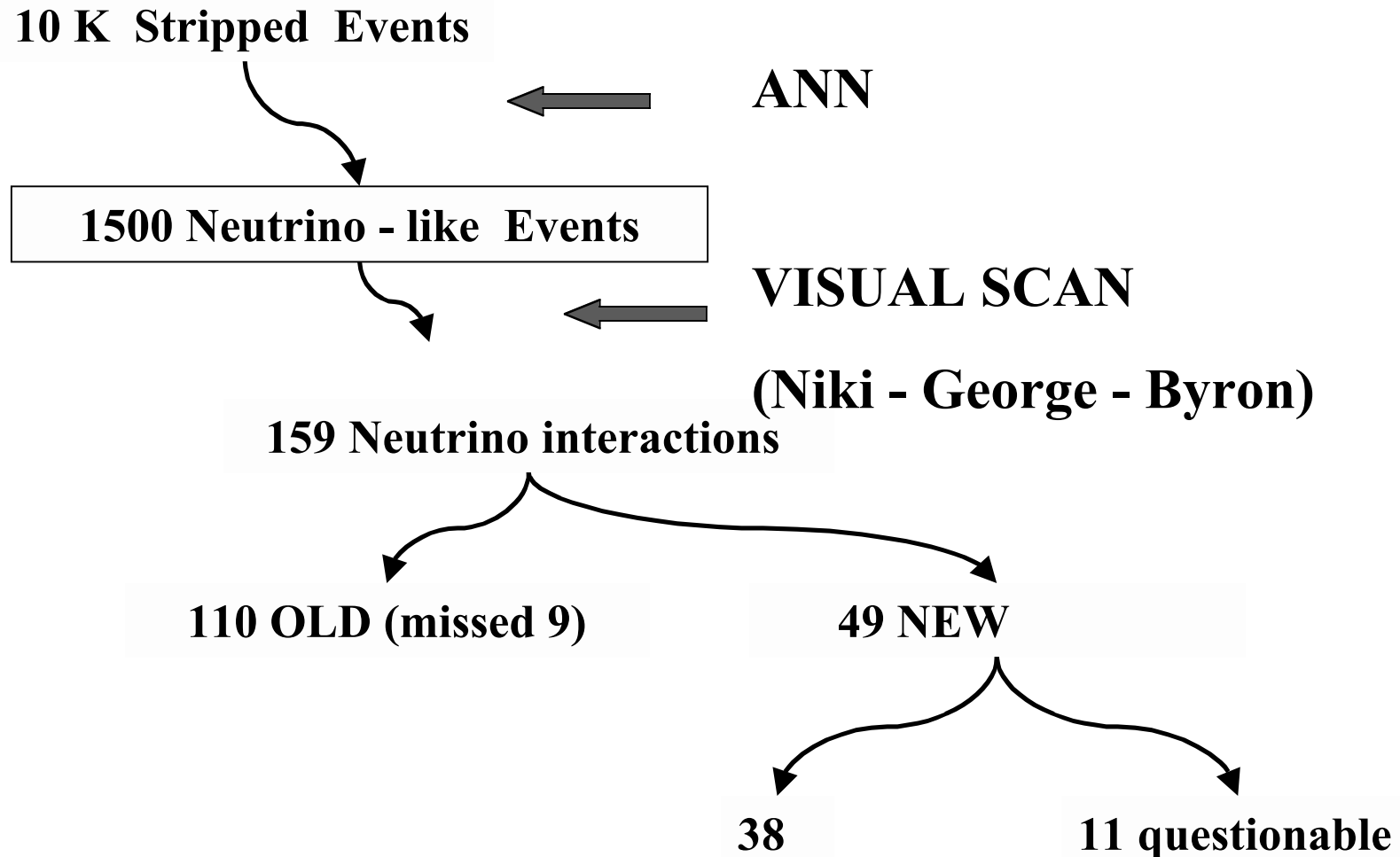


ñ With a cut @ 0.2 2915 out of 12443 are selected as “neutrino” interactions.

ñ Initial Signal/Background Ratio $\sim 100/12443 = 0.008$

ñ Obtained Signal/Background Ratio $\sim 100/2915 = 0.034$

New period 3 neutrino interactions



Vertex Predictions :Goal - Main Idea

- > **Goal** : To **predict** the vertex position with the desired accuracy (~ 2.5 mm in u & v and ~ 5 mm in z) with **minimal manual intervention**.
- > **Main idea** : Use confidently reconstructed SF tracks and **minimize** the quantity :

$$\chi^2 = \sum \frac{d_i^2}{\sigma_i^2}$$

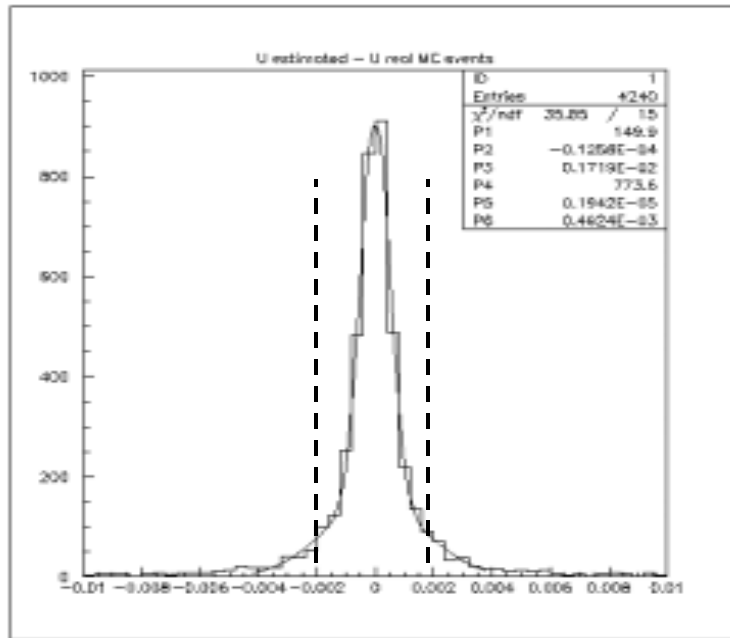
where d_i = distance of SF track i from the vertex

\hat{U}_i = error of d_i

Minuit for minimization

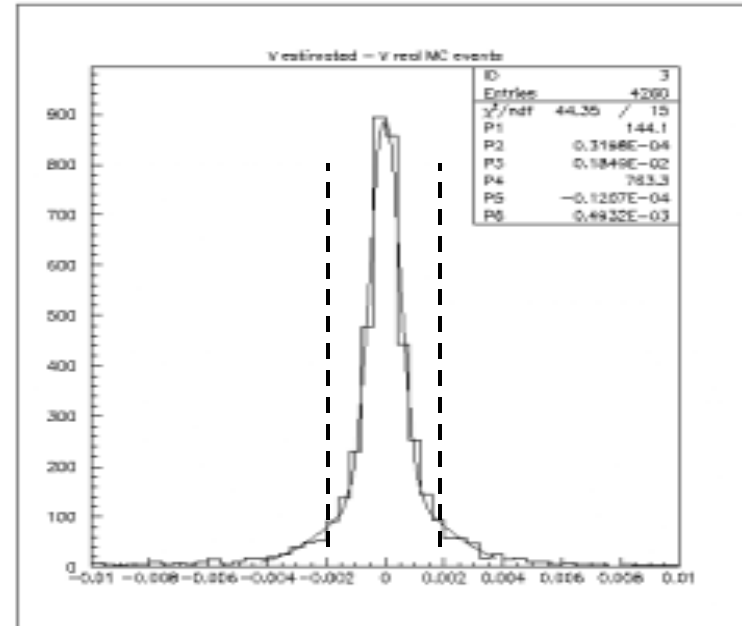
- ñ The **initial minimization** code has been written **from scratch** using **MC minimum search** methods.
- ñ As a way to **test** our **results** and obtain even better we have built up the whole **minimization procedure** using **minuit** routines :
 - ***SEEK*** for initial MC search of minimum
 - ***MIGRAD*** for derivatives search of minimum
 - ***MINOS*** for obtaining the error matrix
- ñ Our **results & minuit results** are **very similar** but decided to use **MINUIT** since it is more **reliable** and **efficient** on obtaining **errors**.

□² Minimization (MC Events)



$U_{\text{est}} - U_{\text{real}}$

2 gaussian fit

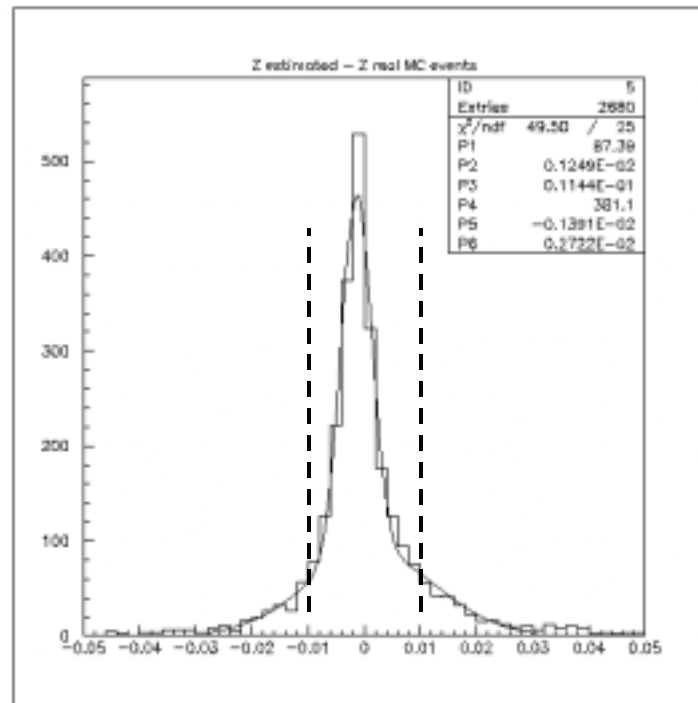


$V_{\text{est}} - V_{\text{real}}$

ñ In 16 % of events u,v-vertex is estimated with 1.72 mm sigma
 ñ In 84 % of Events u,v-vertex is estimated with 0.49 mm sigma

□² Minimization (MC Events)

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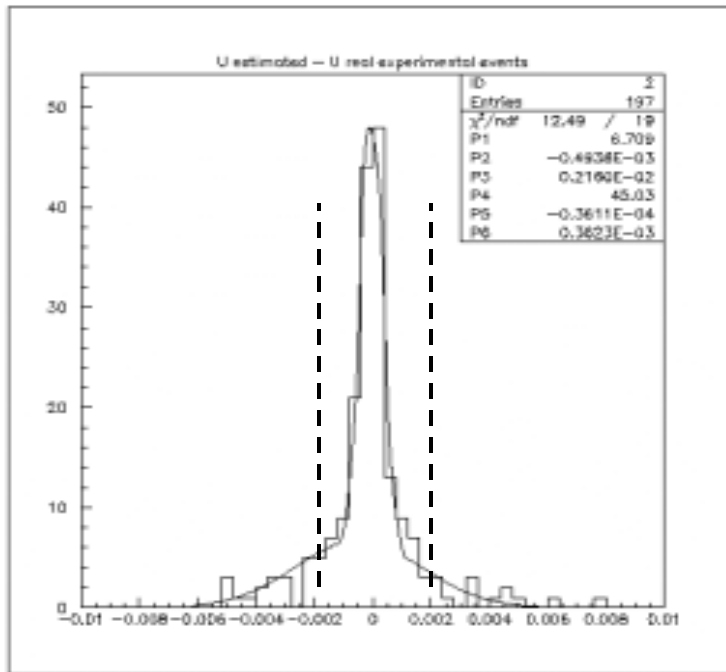


$Z_{\text{est}} - Z_{\text{real}}$

ñ In 18 % of Events z-vertex is estimated with 11 mm sigma

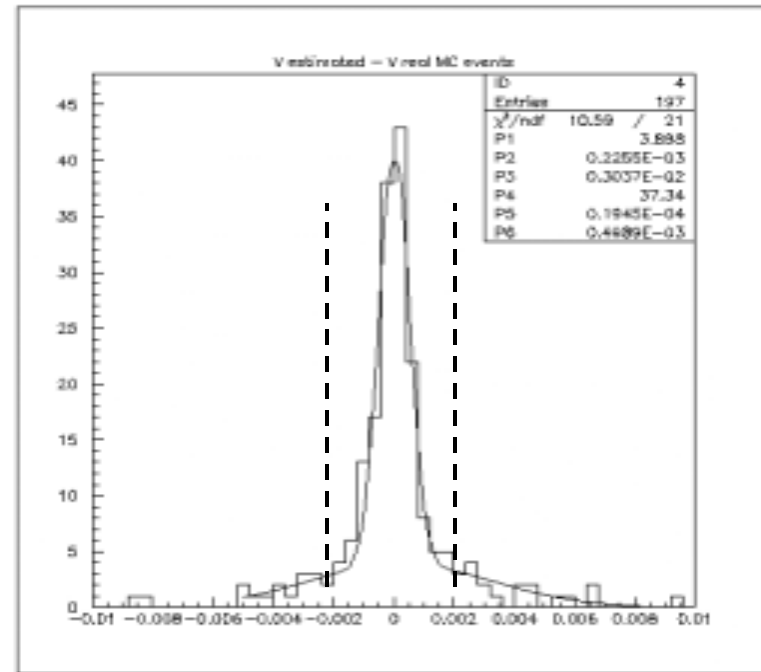
ñ In 82 % of Events z-vertex is estimated with 2.7 mm sigma

□² Minimization (203 Events)



$U_{\text{est}} - U_{\text{real}}$

2 gaussian fit



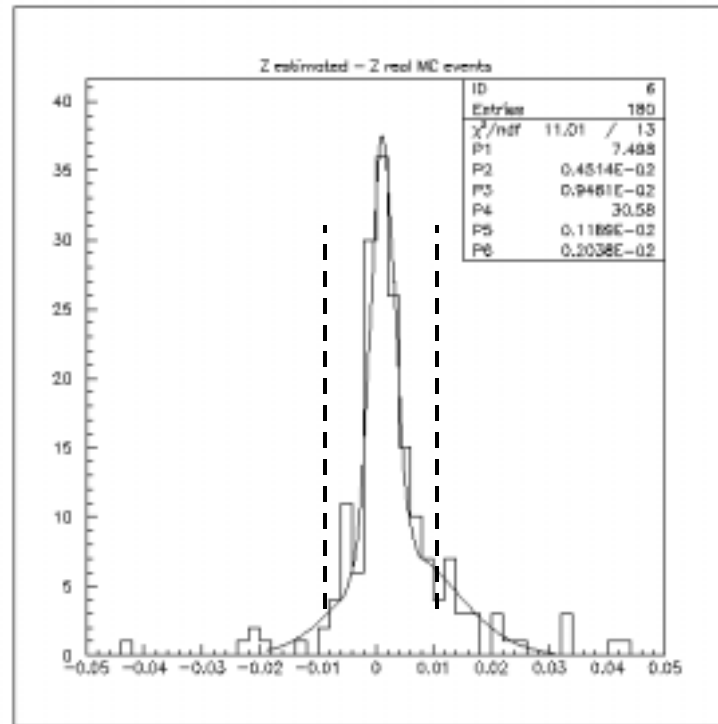
$V_{\text{est}} - V_{\text{real}}$

ñ In 13 % of events u,v-vertex is estimated with 2.50 mm sigma

ñ In 87 % of Events u,v-vertex is estimated with 0.49 mm sigma

□² Minimization (203 Events)

2 gaussian fit



$Z_{\text{est}} - Z_{\text{real}}$

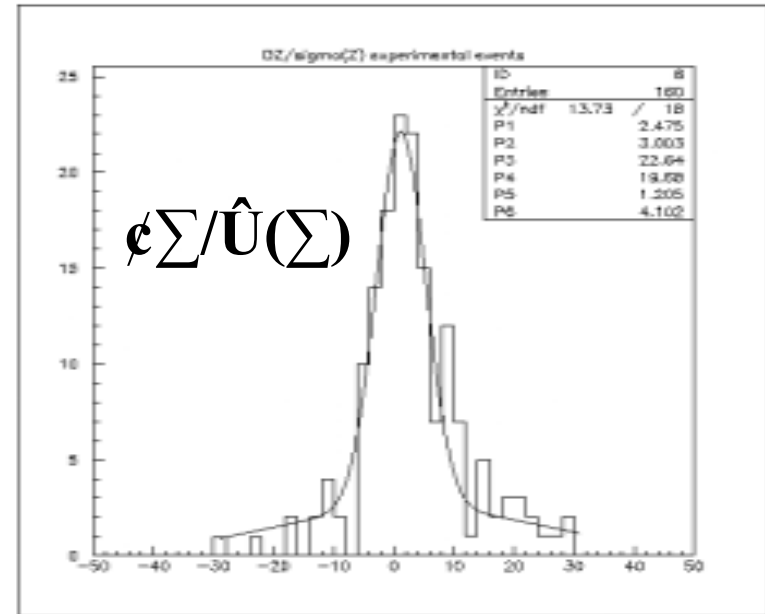
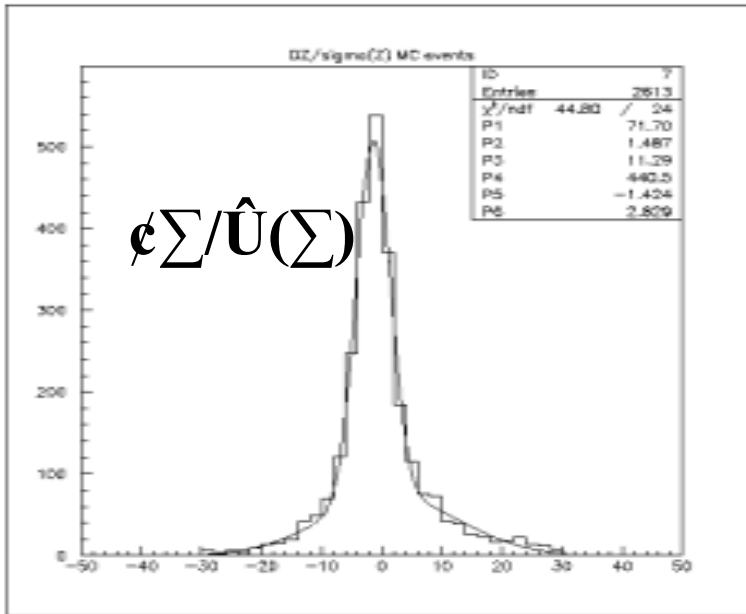
ñ In 20 % of Events z-vertex is estimated with 9.4 mm sigma

ñ In 80 % of Events z-vertex is estimated with 2.1 mm sigma

Minuit Z errors (MC & 203 Events)

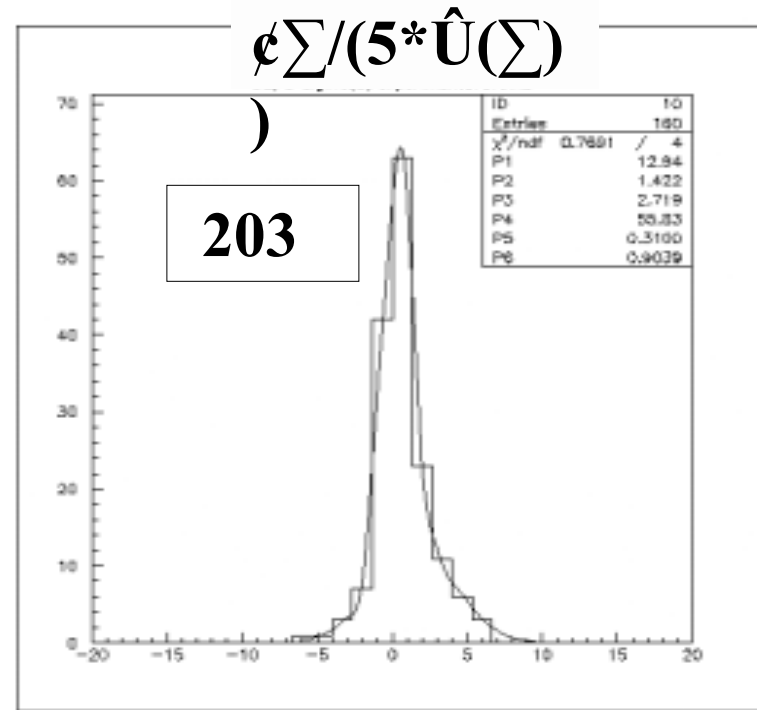
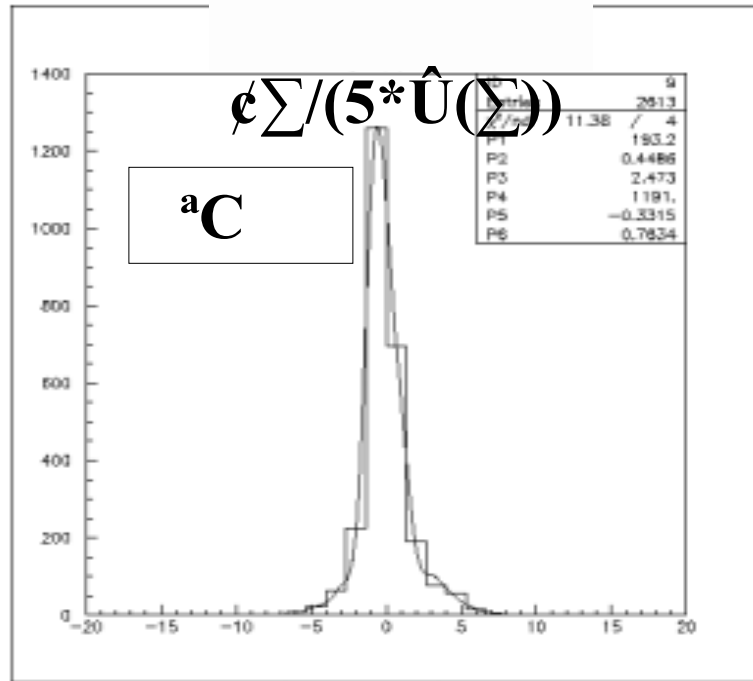
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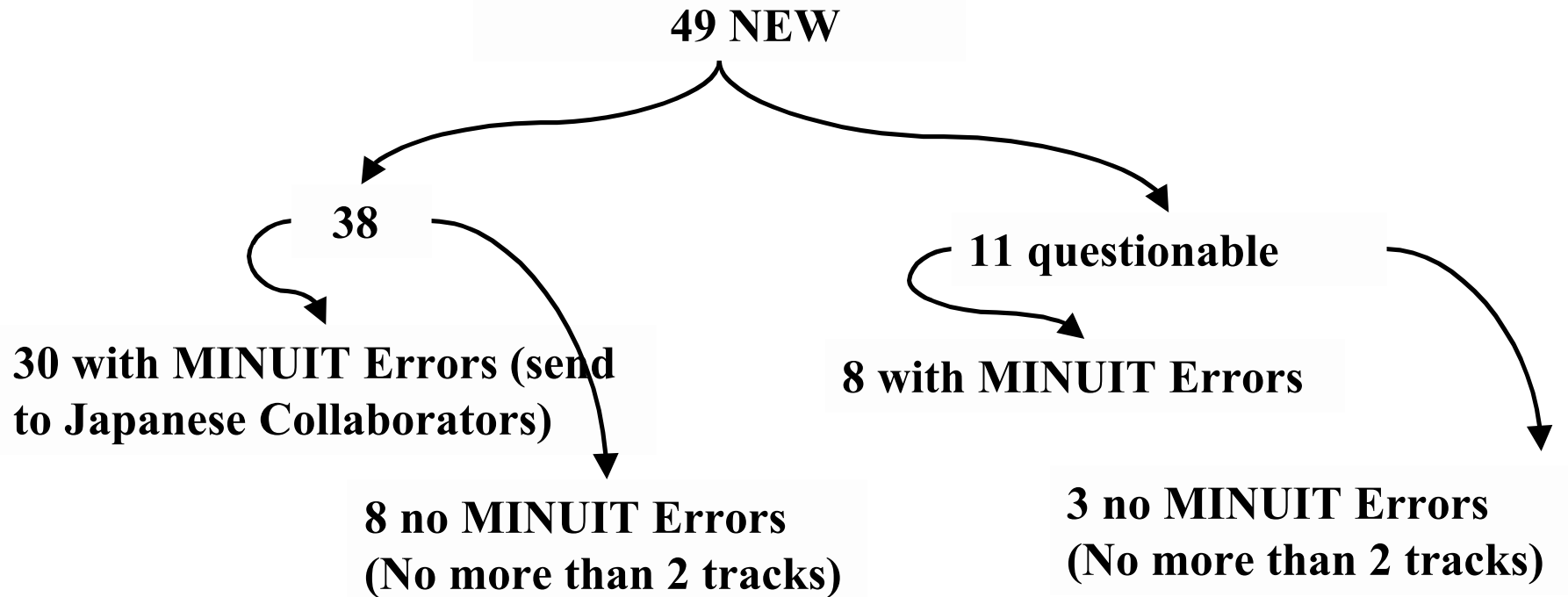
- Sigma of $\epsilon\Sigma/\hat{U}(\Sigma)$ distribution apparently too large \leq $>$
Too small errors.
- Thus introduce arbitrary multiplication factor on MINUIT errors in order to achieve sigma of $\epsilon\Sigma/\hat{U}(\Sigma)$ distribution ~ 1

Minuit Z errors (MC & 203 Events)



ñ Introducing a multiplication **factor = 5** on MINUIT errors the $\epsilon\Sigma/(5*\hat{U}(\Sigma))$ distribution now becomes nearly **gaussian** with a **sigma of ~ 1**.

Vertex Predictions :New period 3 events



ñ Using the previously described procedure we obtained vertex predictions for the **new period 3 events** and **30** have already been **send** to our **Japanese Collaborators**

Conclusions - On going work

- ñ Using **Neural Network Techniques** we have selected **new period 3 neutrino interactions** in a **satisfactory** way as far as **efficiency** and **timing** is concerned.
- ñ Using **minimization techniques** we have obtained **quite accurate vertex predictions** for new period 3 events with **minimal manual intervention**.